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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service the China Mail.)

BRITAIN'S AIR FORCE.

CONCERN IN HOUSE OF LORDS.

LONDON, March 21.
In the House of Lords, Lords Birkenhead, Haldane, Long and Carson gravely stressed the weakness of the air force contrasted with the other powers. Earl Grey emphasised the increasing uncertainty of the situation in Europe and the danger of fresh competition from armaments, particularly aerial. He said that unless a greater sense of security came about it would be impossible for any Government to hold its position unless it could show we were in a position as regards aircraft to secure the defence of vital parts of the country against any possible attack.

Replying, the Duke of Sutherland said the foundations had been laid for sufficient support for a force twice or thrice the present size. Lord Salisbury assured the house that the Government were pursuing the matter without intermission and hoped it would be possible shortly to announce the result of its deliberations.

AMERICA AND RUSSIA.

U. S. ATTITUDE DEFINED.

WASHINGTON, March 21.
Replying to a delegation from a Women's committee for the recognition of Russia, it is understood that Mr. Hughes declared that reports reaching his Department failed to inspire confidence in the Soviet or to furnish the basis of discussions with Moscow.

LATER.

Mr. Hughes afterwards stated that the attitude of the State Department was one of non-interference with Russia's internal concerns but determination not to enter discussions on recognition until the Soviet was established on a sound basis for international intercourse. Referring to the Russian debt to America Mr. Hughes said indulgence and proper arrangements were one thing and repudiation quite another.

WASHINGTON NAVAL AGREEMENT.

FRENCH COMMITTEE FAVOURS RATIFICATION.

PARIS, March 21.
A report presented to the Foreign Affairs committee of the Chamber on the Washington naval agreement favours ratification but only for the normal duration expiring in 1936 and not indefinite renewal thereafter by tacit agreement. While a ratio strength is established it ought not to be considered immutable.

TURKISH COUNTER-PROPOSALS.

ALLIED CONFERENCE IN LONDON.

LONDON, March 21.
The Allied conference on the Turkish counter-proposals opened at the Foreign Office. Earl Curzon opened a short speech of welcome. Sub-committees were appointed to consider the various Turkish proposals.

ASIATICS IN CAPE TOWN.

A SEGREGATION MOVE.

CAPE TOWN, March 21.
In the Legislative Assembly the Ministerialist Mr. Mac Kouran gave notice of a motion requesting the Government to consider the allocation of separate and distinct areas for the Asiatic community.

JAPANESE AMBASSADOR'S RECEPTION.

LONDON, March 21.
The Japanese Ambassador gave a reception to the members of the Japan Society and others including the Chinese Charge d'Affaires representatives of the Foreign Office and the Lord Mayor and Mayoress.

CANTON NEWS.

WU PEI-FU'S MANDATE.

A COMPLEX SITUATION.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, March 21.
It is reported that the division of Yunnan troops under Chu Pui-tak which entered Canton after the first batch had expelled Chen Ching-ming, are to be stationed in the districts forming the hinterland of Kowloon. This is apparently a sign that the pro-Sun party have confidence in the Yunnans.

The situation has been rendered more complex through a mandate, claimed to have originated from Wu Pei-fu, being made public. Shum, the Kwangsi Commander-in-Chief, is appointed Director-General of the troops and operations in Kwangtung. Yang, commanding the Yunnan division is to be second-in-command. Lan Fu, another Kwangsi leader who fled from Canton with Chen is to be Defence Commissioner of the Waichow district where the remnants of his troops are forming, and Chen's troops are one of his subordinates receive appointments as Lieut. Generals. Some time ago it was reported that Shum demanded the control

of the Canton-Samsui railway. There was no attempt at concealing what had prompted this strategically he wanted it as part of his communications with his troops along the West River and financially he was anxious to secure the receipts which average \$4,000 a day. He has again presented a request that the Yunnan troops now garrisoning the line be withdrawn, and hints that he is prepared to try hard for control. Hsu Shung-shi, commander of Sun's 2nd Northern Expedition, now at Wing Ding on its return to Canton from Foochow, has arrived in Canton.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/3 13/16.
To-day's opening rate 2/3 13/16.

INDUSTRIAL UNREST AT HOME.

WAGES REDUCTIONS CAUSE TROUBLE.

MANY STRIKES AFOOT.

LONDON, March 21.
The result of the building trade unions ballot is a fifty per cent. majority against acceptance of the employers terms for a reduction in wages coinciding with the commencement of the Government's housing scheme. This focusses attention on the growing portents of the end of the industrial peace which has lasted since 1921.

A strike of farm labourers in Norfolk and Suffolk is spreading as the result of the importation of labour from other countries. Trouble on the coalfields has been accentuated by the decision of the South Wales miners' executive to tender three months' notice of their intention to terminate the national agreement in order to reopen negotiations in regard to working conditions and wages. The electrical power engineers threaten to call a general stoppage owing to alleged victimisation; also the discontent of the seamen consequent on the ship-owners' demand to reduce wages. The British Pottery Manufacturers Federation intend to notify a lockout on March 24 as the operatives have rejected the employers' modified demand for a ten per cent. reduction in wages. Sixty thousand are affected and negotiations are expected to continue.

RHINELAND DECISION.

NO NIGHT TRAFFIC.

COLOGNE, March 21.
The Inter-Allied Rhineland High Commission has decided to prohibit forthwith all night traffic except by rail between occupied and unoccupied Germany in order to prevent unruly individuals committing crimes in the Rhineland and then escaping to unoccupied Germany.

IMPORT TARIFF FIXED.

LONDON, March 21.
It is officially announced that the Inter-Allied Rhineland Commission has decided from March 25 to replace the uniform import duty of ten per cent by a German import tariff in the form in which it stood in April 1922.

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CONFERENCE.

COMMERCE CHAMBERS' RESOLUTION.

ROME, March 21.
The American delegation to the international chamber commerce congress has agreed to a resolution to be submitted to the finance section on Friday suggesting an international economic conference especially to deal with reparations, Inter-Allied debts, exchange and international credits. If the resolution is carried it is believed the Italian delegation will suggest a conference at Washington.

LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP.

OUTSIDERS GET HOME.

LONDON, March 21.
The Lincolnshire Handicap result was:—
White Bud (66 to 1) 1.
Roman Bachelor (100 to 8) 2.
Soval (50 to 1) 3.
There were thirty starters and White Bud won by a length and a half.

MORE IRISH ARRESTS.

LONDON, March 21.
Free State detectives raided ten houses in Dublin and made numerous arrests, including the Republican director of publicity and a despatch bearer to De Valera.

FRENCH FRANC IMPROVES.

LONDON, March 21.
The French franc on continental support appreciated to 68/90 and the Belgian franc to 77/50.

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INTIMATIONS.

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W. BROWN,
Hon. Sec. Dance Committee.
c/o TAIKOO DOCKYARD.
Hongkong, March 19, 1923.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO.

NOTICE.

THE FORTY-FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents, Pedder Street, on TUESDAY the 27th March at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report & Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1922.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 13th to 27th March, both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.
General Agents.
Hongkong, March 8, 1923.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTY-FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on TUESDAY, the 27th March, 1923, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1922.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 13th to the 27th March 1923, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.
General Managers.
HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.
Hongkong, March 8, 1923.

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, 2, Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on MONDAY, 26th March, 1923, AT NOON, for consideration of the DIRECTORS' REPORT and STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS for the year ending 31st December, 1922.

THE SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be closed from the 17th to the 26th March, 1923, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
R. M. DYER,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, March 12, 1923.

NOTICE.

BRITISH LEGION.
(Hongkong & China Branch.)

THE SECOND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held in the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, 27th March, 1923, at 5.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report and Accounts for the year 1922, and of electing members of the committee for the ensuing year, and of appointing honorary auditors, and of dealing with any other business.

By Order of the General Committee.
H. K. HOLMES,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, March 21, 1923.

HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE Thirty-seventh Yearly General Meeting of the Members of the HONGKONG CLUB, will be held in the Club House on MONDAY, the 26th March, 1923, at 5.30 p.m.

By Order,
A. H. ABBAS,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 15, 1923.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE FIRST GYMKHANA is fixed for SATURDAY April 7th 1923. Draft programmes and Entry forms may be obtained at the Race Course, Hongkong Club and Causeway Bay Stables.

Entries close SATURDAY 24th March 1923.

Hongkong, March 20, 1923.

THE CHINA YEAR BOOK—1923.

THE New Issue of the CHINA YEAR BOOK, a massive volume of 1185 pages with a comprehensive index and a portrait of each of the 1185 persons mentioned in the book, will be published on or about March 31st. It will be the first in two editions, one bound in dark blue cloth at \$12.50 and the other in half leather at \$15.00. Local Currency. Orders will be received by any local bookseller.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of March, 1923, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of CROWN LAND at Junction of Canton Road and Pak Hoi Street, Yau-mat, in the Colony of Hongkong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.									
No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contains in Sq. Ft.	Contains in Acres.	Annual Rent.	Upset Price.		
1.	100/100	At Junction of Canton Road and Pak Hoi Street, Yau-mat.	N. 100 ft. S. 100 ft. E. 100 ft. W. 100 ft.	40,000	0.92	6,000	10,000		
			As per site plan.	40,000	0.92	6,000	10,000		

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PARTICULARS and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of March, 1923, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of CROWN LAND at Shaikwan in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

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ODDS AND ENDS.

MAINLY SCISSORS LOOT.

Attacked by Shark.

Whilst Alfred Gasmann was bathing with an uncle and two friends between Cairns and Torquay, says a Brisbane message, he was savagely attacked by a shark, and his right side was torn away from the amput to the stomach. The unfortunate bather, who was only 19, managed to reach the shore, and was taken to a shed for attention, but he died shortly afterwards. There has not been similar occurrence for 40 years at Brisbane. The victim was in only three or four feet of water. After the tragedy the shark circled about the water. Several lines were thrown out and one man fired four shots at the monster, which is stated to have been about nine feet long, but without effect. A reward of \$10 was offered for the capture of the shark.

Cool Murderer.

With a cigarette between his lips and crying out "Au Revoir" to his mother as the knife fell, Marius Gounaud was executed in Paris for the murder of his uncle, whose body he took in a trunk to the left luggage office at the Gare de Lyon. "Have courage," exclaimed the Magistrate who awakened him. "I have no need of courage. I am the man of the century." At the gate of the prison Gounaud expressed astonishment that he had not been offered the customary cigarette. When given one he lit it, and exclaimed, "And now, some coffee, please." As there was no coffee in the prison a warder was despatched to bring a cup from the nearest cafe. Gounaud had barely been handed the cup before he called for rum. This desire, too, was granted. "Mighty small glasses these," he grumbled, and coolly took four more glasses of the liquor.

Control Your Thoughts.

There are students of thought who never allow their minds to rest for a second on anything they do not wish fulfilled, their impression being that one draws those things one contemplates continuously (a writer in the Westminster Gazette tells us.) So they make a point of never brooding over anything disagreeable or hurtful to themselves or others. Even the heathen philosophers emphasised the power of good and kind thoughts. They were constantly preaching it. A woman whose nature is full of sweetness enters a room. Notice how everyone is ready to welcome her. The kindness of her thoughts attracts unconsciously and everyone is lured to her. That is why a smile is all-

powerful. Observe the nervous, shy person, whose thoughts are sad; no enthusiasm greets her. She knows and feels this herself, and wants to shrink into a corner, and poor thing, she is left there, purely through her own condition of mind.

What About Navy Blue?

There is no demand for it, the shops say. The street throngs obviously go in browns and fawns and greys, which is no small or trivial change. In France some ministry would issue pronouncements on such an upheaval of habit, writes Edith Shackleton in the Evening Standard. Perhaps it has something to do with the reduction of navies? For decade after decade it has been stated complacently that nothing was more becoming to Englishwomen than navy blue serge, and it used to be true enough. It made the grey-blue eyes of the commonest type of Englishwoman seem definitely blue, it emphasised the fairness of her skin, it brought out the gold in her merely fair-coloured hair. Why, then, has she abandoned it? Perhaps because the commonest type of Englishwoman is much cleverer than she was about her looks. Once on a time she chose the colour that "suited" her, now she chooses the colour that pleases her eye, and makes herself "suit" the colour.

Results of Prohibition.

A telegram from Washington says: Jail sentences totalling 2,000 years and fines amounting to more than \$5,000,000 have been imposed for violations of the Federal Prohibition Law, according to a summary of the past eighteen months in the field issued by the Department of Justice. These figures are based on reports received from United States district attorneys upon all liquor cases handled in their district between July, 1921, and December, 1922. There have been 58,862 cases in the eighteen-month period reported to the eighty-eight Department of Justice offices in the United States, says the summary. "United States attorneys, acting for the Department of Justice, have secured 27,301 convictions, with jail sentences aggregating 2,045 years, and fines totalling \$5,220,558.20. There were pending on the dockets of the Federal Courts 21,850 cases undischarged on Dec. 1, 1922, with over 3,000 new cases developing every month."

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Kootwyk, Holland's new wireless station near Utrecht, communicates direct with Bandoeng, Java, 7,325 miles away.

An ivory tusk 12 feet long, together with skull bones of a prehistoric animal, have been unearthed in a gravel pit at Hayes, Kent.

Four thousand and sixty-six Roman coins are reported to have been found by a workman in a vase which he dug up at Macon, in France.

Fishing trawlers are being fitted with wireless so that owners can regulate their return with catches according to the state of the markets.

During the past few weeks many American stores have taken offices in London as buying departments for the export of British merchandise to the United States.

There is in Dover Infirmary a Frenchman named Jacob Du-Bray, whose age is 103. His wife, the fifth, is also an inmate of the infirmary, but she is only 79.

Mr. Henry Clews, head of Messrs. Henry Clews and Co., one of the oldest banking firms of Wall Street, has died in New York, aged 83; he was born in Staffordshire.

A slight earth tremor, the third within six months, was felt at Abertillery, Mon. Like the others, it is believed to be due to the settlement of old colliery workings.

Non-Co-Operators at Lahore, Punjab, demand the removal of the statue there of Lord Lawrence, the saviour of India, and threaten otherwise to remove it themselves.

At Aberdeen, a woman was awarded 140s. for damages done to a mangle by a cow which got out of control, dashed into her house, and imprisoned her husband in an outhouse.

The Duke of Devonshire, speaking at a meeting of the Victoria League at Oxford said: "We must no longer talk of emigration or immigration, but migration within the Empire."

An old man admitted to Lancaster Workhouse, County Durham, who had £112 in notes on him; tore up £71 to prevent the money from falling into the hands of the guardians.

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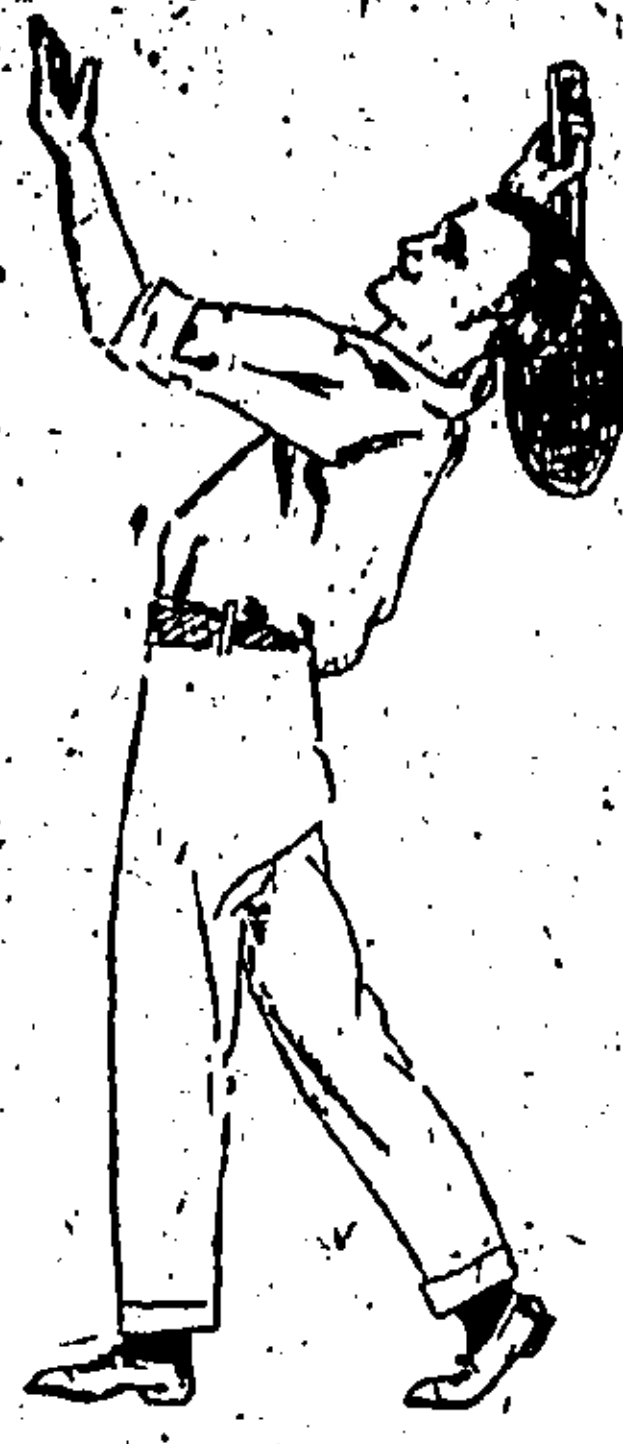
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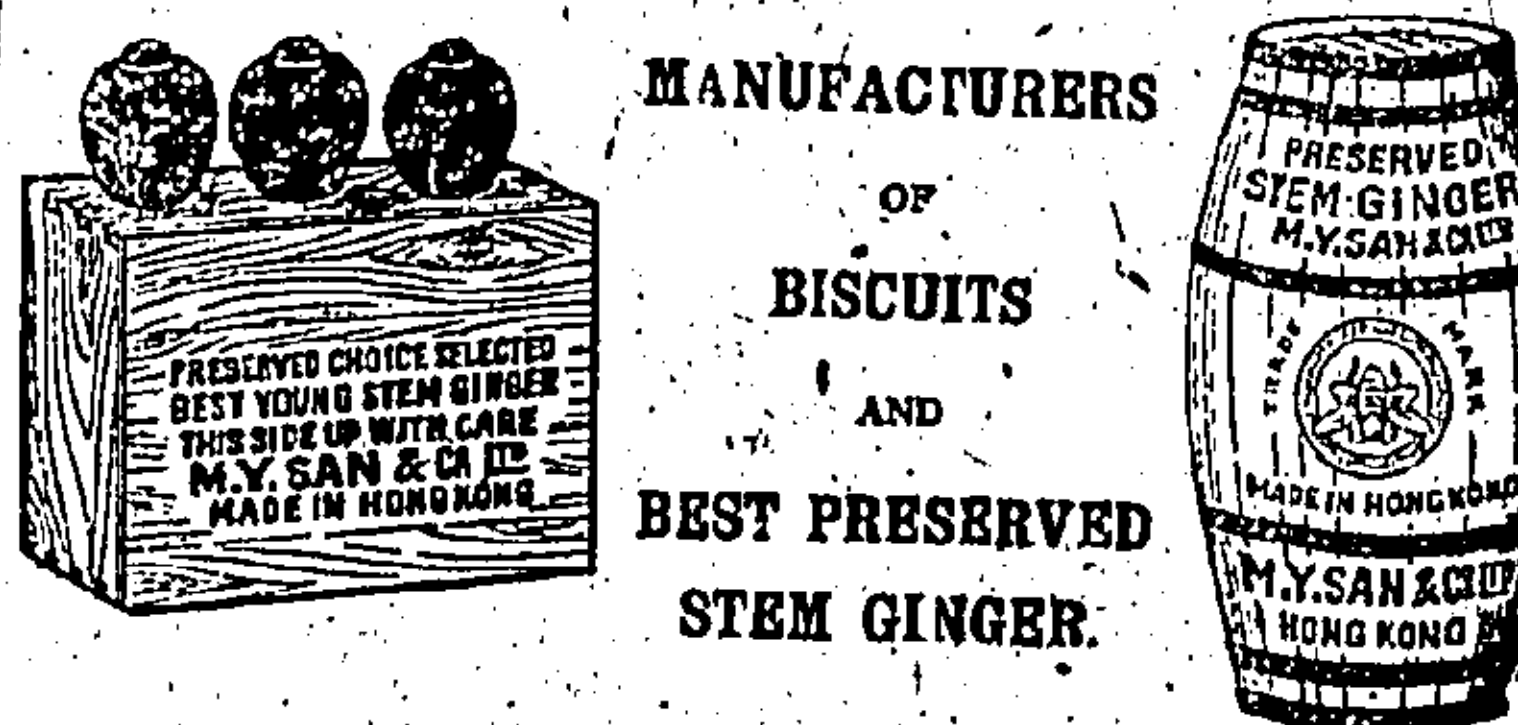
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DEATH.

PRICE.—On 20th March, 1923, Mary Price, mother of Harry, Tommy, Starling and Lily. Interment took place at Happy Valley on 21st March.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

The family of the late Mary Price thank their friends who sent floral tributes and expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1923.

TOWN PLANNING QUERY.

The mapping out of Kowloon in conformity with the Government's town planning policy has been completed. That news, published in yesterday's *China Mail*, has deep interest, because this task, the Colony has been told, will have extremely valuable results for the next fifty years. According to the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn's budget speech last October, the Town Planning Committee was taking the long view and providing for the requirements of a very large population. "Provision is being made for roads, railways, ferries, wharves, sewage works, slaughter houses, markets, government buildings, offensive trade areas, residential areas, timber yards, coal yards, recreation grounds; etc." This scheme is manifestly very ambitious, and as we have said before, the personnel of the Committee guarantees that it is also practical and thorough. Clearly Mr. Claud Severn did not exaggerate when he said that the Committee's work was very closely involved with the future development of the Colony and its prosperity. Alert readers, well-pondering the housing problem, will have noted that Mr.

Severn specifically mentioned residential areas, and they will naturally ask why does not the Government take the public into its confidence and make the details known. This query has already been voiced. Less than six weeks ago the Chairman of the Kowloon Residents' Association, urging better postal facilities for the mainland, observed that it might just be that this matter had already received the attention of the Town Planning Committee. "But of course," he added, "we do not know for the simple reason that the Government has never seen fit to invite a member of this Association to join that Committee or to acquaint us of anything yet planned." Now that the Committee's mainland labours have been completed, this complaint acquires double force. Obviously, town planning directly affects the housing problem. Obviously also the public cannot hope to gauge the prospects of solving the housing, transport and other contingent problems until the scheme becomes known. Disclosing the scheme now, the Government would not in any way play into the hands of speculators. The Colonial Secretary stated yesterday that the Government work is being pushed ahead as much as possible. Thus sooner or later the outlines of the scheme will become manifest. And, after all, paying the piper, the public is entitled to know what is going forward. It is entitled to know the details of these schemes without delay, these schemes "closely involved with the future development of the Colony and its prosperity." Therefore the *China Mail* would urge the Government to take the first opportunity to announce what has already been planned at the next Legislative Council meeting when the papers could be tabled. This course would not only greatly benefit the public dependent over the housing problem, but would also remove many present misunderstandings.

LOCAL WEDDINGS.

CHOA—LO.

The wedding took place yesterday at the office of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, of Mr. Charles Choa, assistant comprador of the Asia Banking Corporation and Miss Eileen Lo, daughter of Mr. Lo Cheung Shin, J.P. and Mrs. Lo and a sister of Messrs. M. K. and M. W. Lo.

The bride was charmingly attired in a dress of crepe charmeuse embroidered with white beads and carried an illusion veil with a spray of fine orange blossom. The bridesmaids were Miss Gertrude and Miss Enid Lo, sisters of the bride, and Miss Louise and Miss Pauline Choa, nieces of the bridegroom. They wore dainty dresses of pale pink nylon with silver embroideries.

"Mr. H. C. Hunt was best man. A reception was held at the home of the bridegroom.

The newly-married couple will spend their honeymoon at Repulse Bay.

The bride's travelling dress was of fawn silk gabardine trimmed with powder blue crepe georgette.

LOGAN—JACK.

In the presence of a large number of people the wedding took place at half past three yesterday afternoon at St. John's Cathedral of Mrs. Jessie Jack, daughter of the late Mr. W. C. Jack and of Mrs. Jack of 1, Canton Villas, Kowloon, who was married to Mr. Robert Logan, executive engineer of the Public Works Department. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Copley Moyle.

The bride was prettily attired in a dress of embroidered white charmeuse and carried a bouquet of beautiful white roses and maidenhair fern. As bridesmaid, Miss Wilson had a pretty dress of salmon pink georgette with black picture hat and she carried a bouquet of sweet peas and maidenhair fern. Betty Jean Spalding and Jimmy Logan attended the bride as pages. Mr. C. W. E. Bishop acted as best man.

A reception later took place at the Hongkong Hotel where the couple received the congratulations of a host of friends. The honeymoon is being spent at Repulse Bay.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Included among the notifiable diseases reported yesterday were one Chinese case of plague, four Chinese cases of small pox, one Hongkong and three Kowloon, and two Chinese cases of cerebro-spinal fever.

"There will be a Cinematograph Display at the Helena Mary Institute to-morrow afternoon, Friday the 23rd March at 5.30 p.m. Members of the Institute, their children and friends may attend. A charge of 50 cents will be made for admission."

A Reuter cable received to-day states that Mr. Chao Hsin Chu, the Chinese Charge d'Affaires in London entertained Colonel P. T. Eiberton, Miss Barrett, a lady writer who is going to visit China, and other prominent people at a Chinese dinner at the Legation.

The Earl and Countess of Lanesborough left Hongkong by the "Korea Maru." The Earl was formerly Assistant Military Secretary to the Duke of Connaught, served in the South African War with the Coldstream Guards and in 1909 was Military Secretary to Earl Grey.

People well known in Hongkong, who left for Australia yesterday by the s.s. "Tango Maru," included Captain F. U. French, Mrs. R. R. Broome, Mr. and Mrs. Makham, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gilchrist and two daughters, Mrs. E. Plunkett Cole, and Mr. P. Glendinning.

Amongst the passengers who left for Hongkong yesterday by the s.s. "Kasim" were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCann, Mrs. Grayburn, Col. and Mrs. W. W. Crosby, Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grimes, Inspector and Mrs. O. R. H. J. Knight and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kynoch.

When five robbers entered a matchbox at Kowloon yesterday, they gagged the inmates with chopsticks and struck one of them on the head with a wooden clog. A campfirewood box, clothes and money worth in all, about \$100 was taken. In a quarter of an hour after which the robbers fled in an unknown direction.

Yesterday the hearing of the case in which a Japanese man and three Japanese women were charged with being in unlawful possession of arms was concluded. His Worship (Mr. J. R. Wood) sentenced the male prisoner to nine months' hard labour and imposed fines of \$750 on two and \$500 on one of the women defendants.

POLICE FROM NORTH.

WEIHAIWEI CONTINGENT ARRIVE.

INSPECTION BY GOVERNOR.

His Excellency the Governor, accompanied by Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, the C.S.P. and Captain Neville A.D.C. inspected the first contingent of Chinese police from Weihaiwei yesterday, the contingent, which arrived on Tuesday, comprising 5 N.C.O.'s, 50 constables and 3 interpreters. The men were lined up on the vacant plot of ground on the far side of the Peninsula Hotel.

Of superior physique to the average Hongkong Chinese, the new police presented a smart appearance in the summer uniform of the New Territories—khaki shirt, shorts, putties and slouch hats.

The men have been recruited in the North and the N. C. O.'s have seen service in the Weihaiwei force. They are to replace the Indian constables who are now stationed in the Territories and will be brought back to Hongkong and Kowloon for duty. Au Tau, Castle Peak, Ping Chau and Lok Ma Chan are the four stations at which they will be posted.

Headed by the 4th Bombay Grenadiers' Pipes, the men, after the inspection, marched into the railway station and entrained for Fanning.

Subsequently, His Excellency inspected the Kowloon Fire Brigade where the men gave a creditable turn-out, responding to a call by starting the engines in 45 seconds and housing them, on return, in quick time.

ATHLETIC SCHOOLBOYS.

ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE SPORTS.

The annual athletic sports of St. Paul's College which took place at Happy Valley yesterday, were noteworthy for some excellent racing in which two of the school records were broken. Lam Yuk-ying broke one record in the 100 yards race which he completed in 10 3/5 seconds and the other record was established in the 220 yards when Lam Yuk-ying came home in 25 seconds. He was also awarded the senior championship prize and Wong Kan took the junior championship prize.

The race between past and present pupils of St. Paul's College attracted an unusual amount of interest. The past pupils won again.

Four senior schools competed in the race, the winning team being St. Stephen's College.

At the close of the events, Mrs. H. E. Pollock distributed the prizes. Additional results to those published in yesterday's *China Mail* were:

Senior 220 yards: 1, Lam Yuk-ying; 2, Chan Kwong-ju; 3, Au Kwai. Time 25 secs.

Senior High jump: 1, Wong Sou-tek; 2, Lau Kai; 3, Lam Yuk-ying. Height 5ft 3 1/4 in.

Junior 220 yards: 1, Wong Kai; 2, Tse Shue-wa; 3, Liu U-chou. Time 27 2/5 secs.

Senior 1/4 mile: 1, Tam Chiu-fook; 2, Lau Kai; 3, Yan Siu-kwong. Time 60 3/5 secs.

Junior 1/4 mile: 1, Mon Yuk-kan; 2, Lam On-wing; 3, Liu Yue-chou. Time 71 secs.

Small Boys 1/4 mile: 1, Chou Kung-chui; 2, Poon Hok-Hoi; 3, Lau Po-kuen. Time 74 3/5 secs.

Old boys race: 1, Leung Tui-sang; 2, John Tso; 3, Ng Lai-sin. Staff race (300 yards): 1, Ho Hin-Kan; 2, Ng Wai-ai; 3, C. G. Stewart.

One mile bicycle race: 1, Lau Kai; 2, So Wai-fook; 3, Wong Po-sun.

Inter-class relay race: 1, Class I; 2, Class 2B.

THEATRE SEASON CLOSES.

RETURN VISIT LIKELY.

With a splendid performance of "If Four Walls Told," an interesting and altogether amusing play which Edward Percy, a London stockbroker, is said to have written as the outcome of a journey to Dorsetshire, the Courtneidge-Holloway brought to a close last night their highly successful season at the Theatre Royal.

Hongkong's enthusiastic reception of the Company has, "one hopes," convinced Mr. Holloway that there is a very definite demand here for good plays, well staged and well acted. I particularly note the local theatregoer's reliance upon "fall for" good, bright, sparkling comedy. It is understood that the Courtneidge-Holloway Company, who go on to Shanghai from here, are to give us a return visit May 15 to 20.

TO-NIGHT'S DANCE.

SPECIAL KOWLOON ATTRACTION.

Kowloon folk are being offered a very special attraction at the Kowloon Theatre to-night when the jazz band of the "President Madison" will not only furnish an attractive programme of dance music but will contribute several numbers of their own as well. These will include "Saxophobia" by the band's saxophonist, "Jimmy" by the banjoist and "Down the Old Church Aisle," an amusing concerted item.

To-night's dance programme follows:

1. One Step.....Figgety-Feet.

2. Fox Trot.....To-morrow.

3. Fox Trot.....Who will take my place?

4. Waltz.....Honeycomb Time.

5. Fox Trot.....The Sheik of Alabama.

6. Fox Trot.....Suez.

7. One Step.....Tiger Rag.

8. Fox Trot.....Fate.

9. Fox Trot.....St. Louis Blues.

10. Waltz.....Three O'clock in the Morning.

11. Fox Trot.....Chicago.

12. Fox Trot.....Somebody Stole My Girl.

13. One Step.....Sally come back to the Alley.

14. Fox Trot.....Blue.

15. Fox Trot.....Mr. Gallagher & Mr. Shean.

16. Waltz.....Waltzing the Blues.

17. Fox Trot.....Truly.

18. Fox Trot.....I wish I could shimmy like my sister Kate.

19. One Step.....Toot Toot Tootsie.

20. Fox Trot.....Some of these Days.

21. Fox Trot.....Carolina in the Morning.

22. Waltz.....After every Party.

ATTEMPTED ARMED ROBBERY.

MAN WHO WAS NOT AFRAID.

Evidence was heard by Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Magistracy yesterday in connection with the recent attempted armed robbery at a boarding-house, after which, one of the alleged robbers was caught after being wounded six times in a running revolver duel.

This man, when admitted to hospital was, in addition to his bullet wounds, suffering from a broken thigh although the police cannot account for the injury. It will be two months before he can be discharged from hospital, necessitating a separate case against his alleged confederate who was overpowered on the premises.

The complainant is Woo Quinn, a Seattle salmon canner, who had just returned to Hongkong and was staying at the boarding-house. According to the police, defendant attempted to gag him but bolted on an alarm being raised. He was tackled on the stairs by the cook who, in spite of falling with defendant into a lower floor though the star-rails giving way, clung tenaciously to him till his capture was secured. Details of the chase of the other man were also related.

Questioned by His Worship as to whether he was afraid when the robbers entered, complainant said that he was not a bit. He had \$5,000 in American gold coin in the safe but the would-be robbers retreated before attempting to rifle it. The case was adjourned to Friday afternoon next.

THE DAWN OF WOMANHOOD.

Its Difficulties and Dangers.

Some girls upon the threshold of womanhood drift into a decline in spite of care and attention. Even strong and usually lively girls become weak, depressed, irritable and listless. It is the dawn of womanhood—important in the life of every girl—and prompt measures should be taken to keep the blood rich and pure.

If the blood is not in a healthy condition at this stage, the body becomes ill-nourished, and other ailments develop. If the health is not maintained by a sufficiency of pure, strong blood, all sorts of evils and weaknesses are likely to arise. Remember this, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, because of their unique blood-making properties, have saved thousands of girls and women in Europe, America, Africa, Australia and Asia from being life-long sufferers. For example, read the evidence of Assistant Judge, Mr. F. H. V. A. who writes:

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So begin to get well by starting Dr. Williams' Pink Pills now. Obtain them direct from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 20, Kiangnan Road, Shanghai. Price per bottle, 2/6 for six, post free.

CHARTERED BANK.

DIVIDEND AND BONUS.

The Manager of the local branch of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China advises having to-day received the following telegram from the Bank's Head Office in London:

"At the approaching Annual General Meeting of Shareholders the Directors will recommend that a dividend be declared for the past half year at the rate of 1 1/2 per annum and a bonus of 6s. 3d. per share free of income tax, that £100,000 be added to the Reserve Fund, that £25,000 be added to Officers' Superannuation Fund, that £50,000 be written off Premises Account, and that £222,201.45 be carried forward."

IMPUDENT SNATCHER.

KOWLOON LADY ROBBED.

YEAR'S JAIL FOR THIEF.

Miss F. Thompson of No. 3, "Fairview," Kowloon, while looking at Messrs. Lane, Crawford's window at about 6 p.m. yesterday felt a jerk at her handbag which she was carrying under her arm. On looking round, she could not distinguish the features of the snatcher but saw that he was wearing a brown Chinese suit and a felt hat.

The thief ran along under the verandah towards Des Voeux Road. Nearing the corner, she called "Stop that man." At the King Edward Hotel entrance Mr. E. R. Hyndman responded to her call and gave chase. On discovering that a man was now on his heels, the quarry dropped the bag which Mr. Hyndman restored to its owner. A Chinese constable took up the pursuit and arrested the snatcher.

This morning he was charged at the Magistracy before Mr. R. E. Lindsell. After evidence had been taken, the snatcher was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour and twelve strokes of the birch.

INVETERATE GAMBLER.

SETS UP AS DRY-CLEANER.

PAWNS CUSTOMERS' CLOTHES.

Mr. W. J. Mockett, Messrs. Kelly and Walsh's printing manager was one of the complainants this morning when a young Chinese, named Mo Kwai, was charged with feloniously converting to his own use, a suit belonging to Mr. Mockett and two other suits owned by Chinese.

Sub-Inspector Phillips said that on March 8, defendant set up as a dry-cleaner at No. 44, Whitfield. The business given to him on the first day of his venture included the three suits. At the close of the day, Mo took the suits to a pawnshop and absconded. On March 19, he returned and pestered his brother for financial assistance. His brother had had experience of him and handed him over to the police. Inspector Phillips added that defendant was an inveterate gambler which was the cause of his ruin.

Defendant pleaded guilty to all the charges and his Worship asked his reason for pawning the suits. To this defendant replied "Because I had a bit for \$20 which I lost at gambling."

A sentence of one month's imprisonment was imposed.

CARGO BROACHING.

GANG AT WORK.

Unsatisfactory replies as to his presence on board the s.s. "Banka" without permission and his possession of suspicious implements led to a Chinese being convicted yesterday by the Commissioner C. W. Beckwith, R.M. Marine Magistrate, who sentenced him to two months' imprisonment. Sub-Inspector Bond, in charge of the case, told His Worship that there was a large gang working amongst ships, engaged in broaching cargo.

Defendant was arrested through a detective's suspicions being aroused. When searched, he had an iron hook such as is used to prise open cases, and two pieces of cloth which might be used to hide stolen goods in.

In reply to His Worship, defendant stated that he was invited to work on the ship but this was refuted by the head cook. He said the hook was used in his work and the cloths were for holding rice and as a head-cover.

Three months' imprisonment was the sentence meted out to the morning by Mr. J. R. Wood to the two Chinese boys charged with stealing a watch and chain, a wristwatch and a cigarette case from the clothes of football players at Soekimpo's last Happy Valley.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

ANNUAL PRIZEGIVING HELD.

There was an informal function at the St. Mary's School yesterday morning when 280 pupils attending the Italian Convent Branch at Kowloon met for their annual prizegiving.

There were present: His Lordship, Bishop D. Pozzoni, Rev. Fr. G. M. Spada, rector of the Rosary Church at Kowloon, the Rev. Mother Superior and Staff of the St. Mary's School. The prizes were distributed by Bishop Pozzoni. The programme of entertainment was as follows:—The Duet "Westward Ho," played by the Misses Aurea Baptista and Avelina Souza; "Welcome" song by the children of Class 9 accompanied by Miss Helga Remedios; Recitation "The Sunshine and the Rain" by the Misses B. Pestonji and Pura da Eca; "The Light Hearted Girl," a song by the pupils accompanied by Miss Aurea Baptista; Recitation "L'ange d'enfant," by Miss Odette Geoffroy, a few words of thanks by Miss Annie D'Almada.

PRIZE LIST.

The winners of the prizes were:—Prize for Biblical Knowledge from His Lordship Bishop Pozzoni.—Miss Aurea Baptista.

Lugard Scholarship for the year 1922-23.—Miss Aida Oliveira.

Dr. A. G. Gomes, K. S. G. Scholarship for Regular Attendance.—Class 1.—Miss Rita Xavier.

Class 2.—Misses Avelina Souza and Marjorie White.

Class 3.—Miss Laura Gomes.

Class 4.—Miss Celeste Gill.

Class 5.—Miss Zelinda Gomes.

Class 6.—Miss Dulce Ribeiro.

Class 7.—Miss Maria Martins.

Class 8.—Miss Aurea Remedios.

Class 1.—Senior Local Certificatees and Prizes.—1st, Rita Xavier; 2nd, Aurea Baptista; 3rd, Mimosa Alves.

Class 2.—Junior Local Certificatees.—1st, Marjorie White; 2nd, Avelina Souza; 3rd, Helena Jorge, Hortencia Jorge, Marie Rosario.

Class 3.—1st, Laura Gomes; 2nd, Aida Oliveira; 3rd, Clotilde Hyndman, Lucia Osmond and Angelina Silva.

Class 4.—1st, Albertina Garcia and Celeste Gill; 2nd, Winnie Lo; 3rd, Elisa Alvares and Aida Alves.

Certificatees of Merit.—Eulalia Souza and Maria Eca da Silva.

Class 5.—1st, Esther Carvalho; 2nd, Olga Ribeiro; 3rd, Dulce da Aquino and Teresa Saucedos.

Class 6.—1st, Maria Martins, Maria Aizenza and Marie Remedios. Certificatees of Merit.—Angelina Baptista and Melin Cruz.

Class 6.—1st, Regina Ribeiro; 2nd, Cynthia Remedios; 3rd, Olga Eca da Silva, Carmen Ribeiro and Dulce Ribeiro.

Certificatees of Merit.—Annie d'Almada, Katherine Hyndman and Aida Brito.

Class 7.—1st, Isabel Pestonji; 2nd, Cynthia Alves and Ignes Remedios; 3rd, Genevieve Mohamod, Daisy Chan, and Florrie Wong.

Certificatees of Merit.—Alda Ng, Irene Colloco, Augusta Noronha, Olga Gill.

Class 8.—1st, Aida Noronha and Lucy Jorge; 2nd, Germano Ribeiro; 3rd, Carlos Botelho and Eitelvira Ribeiro, Eduardo Gutierrez and Aurea Remedios.

Certificatees of Merit.—Elsa Brito, Ediz d'Aquino and Carmen Rosario.

Class 9.—1st, Pura da Eca and George Markham; 2nd, Teresa Gonsalves and Augusta Noronha, Olga Ribeiro, Alice Remedios, Cecil Allum, Jack O'Sullivan, Maria Mattos, Fatmehsa Juman Khan, Armina Abdulla, Cynthia Garcia.

Class 10.—Ena Alves, Guilhermina d'Aquino, Sergio Rosario, William Markham, Beatrice Pestonji, Armando Xavier, Carlos Marques, Norah Gill, Yolanda Silva, Palmirita Yvanovich, Thelma Rosario, Augusta Gutierrez, Irene Botelho, Filomena Chaves.

FARNUM TRIUMPHS.

ROLE OF JEAN VALJEAN.

William Farnum scored another victory in his screen play visualization of Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "Les Miserables," which was shown for the first time yesterday at the World Theatre.

This picture is well termed "Stupendous." It is the only real screening of the remarkable story of the conflict of man with humanity, and humanity's barbarous laws.

In the character of Jean Valjean, Mr. Farnum gives a portrayal that leaves one almost believing that he walked out of the book. The hard side of the man is shown in all his revenging feeling against the world that caused him to serve nineteen years at hard labour for stealing a loaf of bread for his starving relatives. And the other side, when he, having changed his name and become wealthy, is lending a helping hand to every one around him. Then, too, the wonderful spirit that makes him renounce the few joys he has had in life is shown in remarkable bits of acting by this master artist, William Farnum.

Nothing has been omitted to make the entire production realistic and true to Victor Hugo's conception.

KING'S BOING.

SEMI-FINALS AND FINALS.

Last night saw the final of the King's Regimental Boxing Tournament, when the final and semi-finals were decided. In addition there was a special ten round contest between P. O. Morgan and Pte. Flynn. Major-General Sir John Fowler, the General Officer Commanding, was among those present. Captain Skinner presented the prizes at the end of the tournament.

SEMI-FINALS.

OPEN LIGHT WEIGHTS.
P. O. Leaf, H.M.S. "Hawkins" met L. S. Wrigley, H.M.S. "Hawkins." By the end of the third round Wrigley was bleeding profusely but he won the bout.
A. B. Eardley, H.M.S. "Ambrose" met A. B. Shearman, H.M.S. "Despatch." Shearman was very successful with his left and forced home some telling punches. He was awarded the verdict.

NOVICES' WELTER WEIGHTS.

CORPL. WHITEHEAD V. CORPL. BARRACLOUGH.

In the first round both men kept at arm's length. Barraclough, however, showed initiative and was given the verdict.

NOVICES' FEATHER WEIGHTS.

PTE. KINSSELLA V. PTE. BIRD.

Both men boxed hard but victory came early in the first round when Kinsella succeeded with a knock out.

PTE. HAYTER V. L/C. HILL.

This was a strenuous fight the decision being given to Hill.

OPEN MIDDLE WEIGHTS.

L. S. Hambley, H.M.S. "Ambrose" met A. B. Edwards, H.M.S. "Despatch." In this event Edwards was sent to the boards three times and on the last occasion was counted out.

NOVICES' LIGHT WEIGHTS.

OVER.

Boy McEade beat Boy Bonham.
Boy Peters beat Boy Brooks.

NOVICES' LIGHT WEIGHTS.

PTE. TAYLOR V. PTE. O'CONNELL.
O'Connell seemed afraid to strike at Taylor, who appeared to deal out punches in quite mechanical style. The fight was stopped in the second round in favour of Taylor.

PTE. FERGUSON V. PTE. AYRE.

In the first round the men exchanged punches with great regularity and tried to continue this systematic hammering in the second round when Ayre began to get the better of his man. Ayre got the decision.

BOYS 112 LBS. AND OVER.

Boy Bowker beat Boy Lawson.
Boy New beat Boy Lowe.

NOVICES' MIDDLE WEIGHTS.

PTE. O'GRADY V. PTE. CHRISTIAN.

In the second round O'Grady threw his hand in and the decision was accordingly given to Christian.

NOVICES' BANTAM WEIGHTS.

PTE. HUGHES V. PTE. JONES.

The pair were very evenly matched and it was only by a small margin that Jones won the fight.

PTE. RODAWAY V. PTE. QUINN.
While Quinn made determined efforts his opponent showed more confidence. They went the whole of the three rounds and Rodaway got the winning points.

TEN ROUND CONTEST.

One of the chief bouts of the evening was a special ten round contest between P. O. Morgan, H.M.S. "Hawkins" and Pte. Flynn, of the King's Regiment. The first round was more or less one of preliminary hits and there was nothing really eventful in the second and third rounds. It was at first believed that Morgan would demonstrate superior boxing against Flynn but when in the ring the King's man proved that it was wrong conclusion and up to the eighth round he fought with sustained vigour giving the naval man perhaps more than he expected. Morgan had of course a longer reach over Flynn which occasionally gave him an advantage. He had the better of the last round when Flynn began to get aggy and had he received a hard enough blow the latter would probably have gone down for the full count. He lasted right to the end, but lost the contest.

FINALS.

OPEN LIGHT WEIGHTS.
L. S. Wrigley, H.M.S. "Hawkins" met A. B. Shearman, H.M.S. "Despatch." In the third round

TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

The tennis tournament was continued on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground yesterday afternoon. The results are as follows:—

Open Championship Singles.—Wong Po Kung beat F. L. Lau, 6-3, 6-4, 9-7; V. Yanovich beat A. E. Dome, 6-1, 7-5, 6-3.

Open Championship Doubles.—R. E. Worthington and H. Hancock beat E. Buschert and H. Krebs, 6-2, 6-0, 6-0; E. Grimble and E. Nelson beat L. Jack and W. Hyde, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0.

Club Championship.—A. Brerley beat R. M. Henderson, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3; L. Forster beat R. K. Valentine, 6-0, 6-4, 6-2.

Handicap Singles "A."—R. E. Worthington (—30) beat S. L. Green (—30), 6-1, 6-3; G. W. Sewell (—1/6) beat J. D. Humphreys (ser.) 8-6, 6-1.

Handicap Singles "B."—G. Dawbarn (+3/6) beat J. A. Fraser (—1/6), 6-0, 7-5; J. B. Ross (+15) beat P. E. Barker (+15/2) 6-4, 6-3.

Handicap Doubles.—F. A. Redmond and M. H. Rolfe (—2/5) beat C. Thorne and J. R. Wood (+2/6) 8-6, 7-5.

Mixed Doubles.—G. E. Ellams and Miss Ranger (+15.1) beat A. Raworth and Miss P. Grace (+5/6) 6-3, 3-6, 7-5; G. H. Hayes and Mrs. Boyd (—2/6) beat L. V. Webb and Mrs. Remington (+3/6) 7-5, 6-1.

STAR THEATRE.

"THE RULING PASSION."

Kowloon gets its chance during the next few days to see Mr. George Arliss, eminent character actor whose last appearance here was in the title role of "Disraeli," in light comedy "The Ruling Passion" and in it Mr. Arliss has the part of a kindly old millionaire manufacturer of automobiles who, unable to enjoy the leisure his hard-earned fortune has made possible, takes a half-interest in a small garage and thereby precipitates his daughter and a penniless young man into a love affair from which they find it impossible to disentangle themselves.

Shearman became champion light weight through his opponent retiring.

WELTER WEIGHTS.

Pte. Scott won the welter weight competition by landing down Corpl. Barraclough to the full count in the first round.

FEATHER WEIGHTS.

PTE. KINSSELLA V. L/C. HILL.
Kinsella, a hardy boxer, was quicker than Hill who was put on the defensive during the whole of the three rounds. Kinsella won.

BOYS, 112 LBS. AND OVER.
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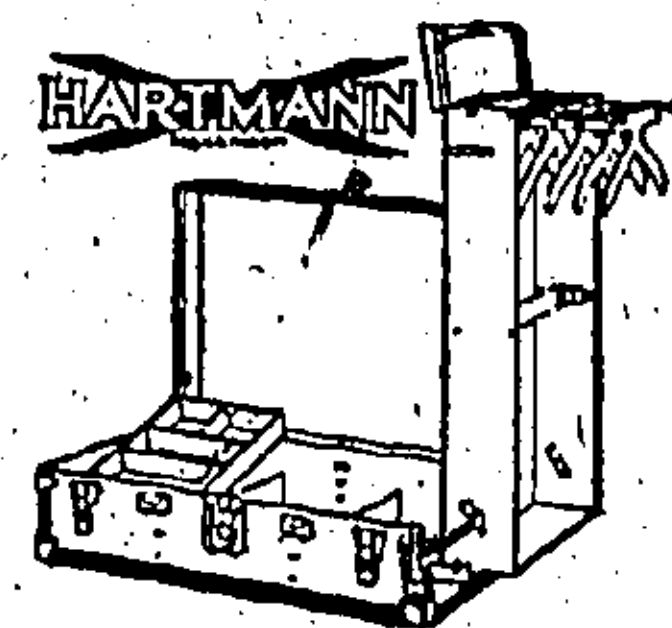
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The D. s.s. "Rhena" left Port Said

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The B.F. s.s. "Trollas" left Port Said

for London, Hull, Rotterdam

and Hamburg.

The B.F. s.s. "Ningchow" left Port

Said for Boston and New

York.

The B.F. s.s. "Macdon" arrived at

New York on Mar. 18.

The B.F. s.s. "Telras" arrived at

London on Mar. 19.

The B.F. s.s. "Keeun" arrived at

Liverpool on Mar. 16.

The B.F. s.s. "Phloctates" from

Liverpool left Singapore on Mar. 19 for

this port and is due here to-morrow.

The B.F. s.s. "Joyce" left Hong

kong for this port on Sunday Mar. 19 at noon

and is due here to-morrow at about

7 a.m.

The B.F. s.s. "Karmala" left Singa

pore for this port on Monday Mar. 19 at

p.m. with the outward English Mail,

and is due here on Saturday Mar. 24 at

about 7 a.m.

The B.F. s.s. "Chilo" left Hamburg

on Feb. 14 and is expected here on

Mar. 25.

The C.F.S. R.M.S. "Empress of

Canada" arrived at Yokohama on Mar.

21 at 10.30 a.m. leaves Yokohama on

Mar. 21 at 10 a.m. and is due at Hong

kong on Mar. 28 at 6 p.m.

The B.F. s.s. "Hellerophon" left New

York on Jan. 20 for Suez, Straits, Philip

pines and Hongkong and is due here on

about Mar. 27.

The B.F. s.s. "Parsus" left Liver

pool on Feb. 24 for Penang, Port Swet

tenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Shang

hai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due

here on or about Mar. 21.

The P.M. s.s. "President Taft" is

scheduled to sail for San Francisco via

usual ports on Mar. 14 and will arrive

San Francisco on Apr. 6.

The N.A. s.s. "Rinda" sailed from

Hamburg on Feb. 26 and is expected to

arrive in Hongkong on or about Apr. 6.

The B.F. s.s. "Mentor" left Liver

pool on Mar. 10 for Singapore, Hong

kong, Shanghai and Hankow and is due

here on or about Apr. 12.

The B.F. s.s. "Brylchus" left

Liverpool on Mar. 8 for Penang, Port

Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong,

Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is

due here on or about Apr. 14.

The B.F. s.s. "Antigon" left

Liverpool on Mar. 17 for Hongkong,

Shanghai, Taku and Dalny and is due

here on or about Apr. 21.

The P.M. s.s. "President Pierce" sail

ed from San Francisco on March 8,

with a full complement of passengers and

cargo. The steamer is due at Hongkong

on April 1, and will sail for Manila on

the 2nd, arriving at that port on the 4th

returning to Hongkong on the 7th arriv

ing here on the 9th and sailing for San

Francisco via usual ports on April 11.

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MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS.

Cargo arrived per s.s. "City of Poona"
remaining undelivered after to-morrow
will be subject to rent. Agents—The
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HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been
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of observations taken by means of an
automatic tide-recording machine in the
Water Police Basin at Yuen Sha, and
during the years 1909-10.The zero of the table corresponds with
the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty
Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet
inches below mean sea level.To obtain the depth of water on the
tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard
add 2 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge
at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet
4 inches to the height given in the table.

March 20 to 26 1922.

Day	Date	High Water		Low Water	
		Standard Time	Height	Standard Time	Height
Tue	20	11 4	5.7	5 5	2.5
Wed	21	11 19	5.6	6 11	2.3
Thur	22	11 34	5.5	6 27	2.2
Fri	23	11 49	5.4	6 43	2.1
Sat	24	12 4	5.3	6 59	2.0
Sun	25	12 20	5.2	7 15	1.9
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While a short time afterwards a clatter of feet was heard, running toward the performer appeared on the road with the rope wound around his body. He declared the miracle to be a miracle, due to the punishment of the flesh, after many years of introspective contemplation. He proceeded to make a collection. The crowd gradually dispersed and the

to verify this explanation, Prof. S. induced another student to perform the trick in the courtyard of a house in Calcutta. Details were carried out exactly in Bombay, and by watching the rope for the thin line far down the roof the Professor was able to see it and observe one of the assistants attach it to the coil of the rope while the fakir took the attention of the audience by the lighted end in blind circles round his head and his foregone account was repeated at the time of its appearance. It is the first and only explanation ever published of the notorious climbing trick.

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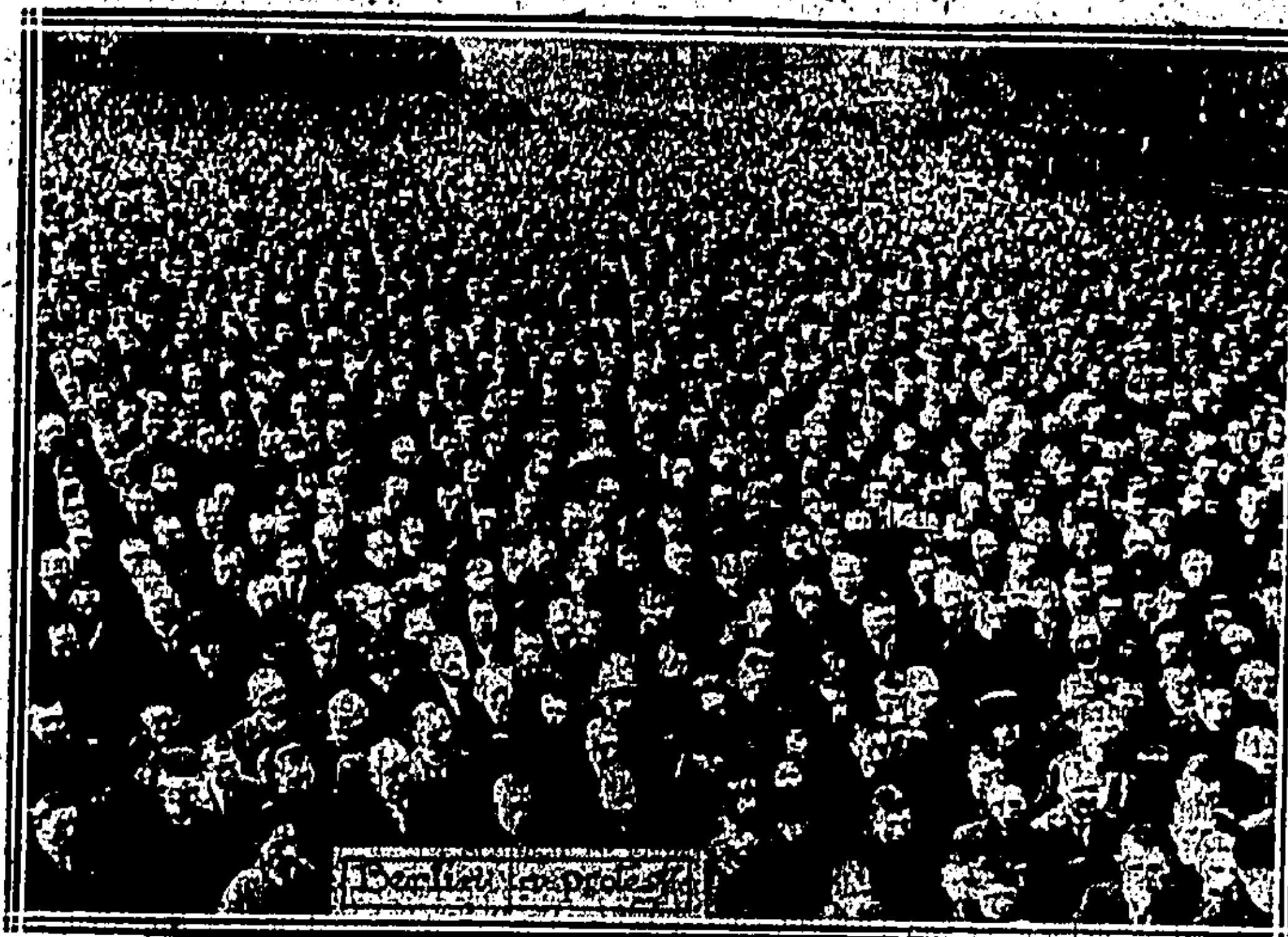
Admiral W. E. Reynolds

Captain William E. Reynolds has been placed in command of the United States Coast Guard Service, with the rank of Admiral.



Myrtle Caine

Agitating for legislation to grant full rights and property privileges to illegitimate children. She also demands that children born out of wedlock shall have the right to the father's name and estate, equally with legitimate offspring.



Some of the 200,000 Germans who gathered before the Reichstag to protest against the French invasion of the Ruhr. The crowd is shown standing bareheaded, while massed bands play the national anthem.



Greek Revolutionary Committee

Members of the Greek Revolutionary Committee who were responsible for the overthrow of the Constantine regime and the establishment of the present Government under Prince George, son of Constantine. Left to right, they are:—Hadjikrucas, in naval uniform, now commander of the Greek Navy; Gonatos, former head of the Revolutionary Committee and now Prime Minister; Platiras, only remaining active member of the old committee and Sake Ilapoulos, Minister of Communications.



Klan Staff

Ku Klux Klan general headquarters staff. Left to right: Edward Young Giarke, Imperial Klant; Paul S. Etheridge, Imperial Klonsel; Dr. W. H. Evans, Imperial Wizard, and Fred L. Savage, Imperial Klaliff.



Duke of York & Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon

Posed photograph of the Duke of York and his fiancée, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon. It was made in London shortly after the announcement of their engagement.



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INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER
1853.
HEAD OFFICE LONDON,

PAID-UP CAPITAL	£2,000,000
RESERVE FUND	700,000
RESERVE LIABILITIES OF PROPRIETORS	£3,000,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE BANKING business transacted
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and
FIXED DEPOSITS received for year
or shorter periods on terms which will be
quoted on application.

J. L. CROCKATT,
Manager.

Hongkong, February 23 1921

HEAD OFFICE:

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86, Boulevard Haussmann, Paris.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... Frs. 7,000,000 CC
PAID UP CAPITAL ... Frs. 68,400,000 CC
RESERVE FUNDS ... Frs. 69,657,232.56

BRANCHES:

Bangkok	Hongkong	Saigon
Batambang	Mongtse	Shanghai
Batmanon	Noumea	Singapore
Bombay	Papeete	Tientsin
Cebu		

Yankow	Peking	Tourane
Yantai	Pnom-Penh	Yunnan
Yokohama	Pondicherry	

Banking Peking Tourane
Yankow Phom-Ponh Yunnan
Hankow Pondicherry

BANKERS:

IN FRANCE: Comptoir National
d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais;
Banque de Paris et de Paya-Bas;
Credit Industriel et Commercial;
Societe Generale.

IN LONDON: The National
Provincial and Union Bank of England

Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris
Crédit Lyonnais.

BANK OF CANTON

LIMITED
HEAD OFFICE

LIMITED

HEAD OFFICE
HONGKONG.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and
General Banking Business transacted

CURRENT ACCOUNTS.

2% per annum on the daily credits
in excess of over \$10000.

INTEREST ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

For 3 Months 3% per annum
For 6 Months 4% per annum
For 12 Months 5% per annum
On demand 2% per annum

LOOK POONG SHAN,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 24, 1921.

THE CHINESE MERCHANTS
BANK, LTD

HEAD OFFICE:
Alexandra Buildings, Charter House

General Bankers and Exchange trust
Agents.

loans granted on approved securities
current Accounts opened and fixed

loans granted on approved securities.
Current Accounts opened and "Savings"
Accounts received at rates which may by
arrangement on application.

The Bank also conducts a Savings
Department.

K. C. LAU,
Chief Manager

Hongkong, Aug. 17, 1923

**THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE
BANK, LTD.**

(INCORPORATED IN JAPAN)
ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL (fully paid up) . . . Yen 100,000,000
RESERVE FUND . . . Yen 69,700,000

BRAH OFFICE—YOKOHAMA

DRAWINGS AND ADVANCES AT

VIA NEWYORK
VIA SAN FRANCISCO
VIA SHANGHAI
VIA HANKOW
VIA PEKING

HOANG	SAIGON
IN (DALNY)	RIO DE JANEIRO
VIEN (MUKDONG)	SAIGON
WFO	SAO PAULO

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T. NISHIYAMA.

obtained on application.

Z. NISHIYAMA,
Manager

March 19, 1933

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